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CINCPAC FOR POLAD

EO 11652: NA/A

TAGS: PINS, KS

SUBJECT: PARK ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT

1. I HAVE BEEN INFORMED BY BLUE HOUSE THAT MRS. PARK IS SERIOUSLY WOUNDED AND ABOUT TO UNDERGO AN OPERATION FOR HEAD INJURY. PRESIDENT IS AT SEOUL NATIONAL UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL WHERE SHE IS BEING TREATED.

2. PRIME MINISTER IS RETURNING FROM COUNTRYSIDE WHERE HE HAS BEEN ON VACATION. CITY REMAINS CALM AND TRAFFIC IS NORMAL BUT WIDE POLICE AND SECURITY COMMAND PRESENCE THROUGHOUT CITY.

3. PRESIDENT PARK'S OFFICE CONFIRMED THAT I WILL SEE HIM MORNING AUGUST 16 AS PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED. AT THAT TIME I WOULD LIKE TO PRESENT APPROPRIATE OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF SYMPATHY AND CONCERN ON BEHALF OF THE PRESIDENT. WILL DEPARTMENT PLEASE
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SEEK SUCH A MESSAGE AND GET IT TO ME BEFORE 11:00

SEOUL TIME AUGUST 16.

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